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Dear Sir:

Enclosed is a RESPONSE in reply to the Office Action mailed August 2, 2004 in the subject Application, including one (1) replacement drawing sheet. Also enclosed is a Petition for Extension of Time within the Second Month, along with a check in the amount of \$225.00 for the fee for a small entity to obtain the extension. This Response is timely filed on January 3, 2005 since January 2, 2005 was a Sunday.

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.56, further enclosed are an Information Disclosure Citation in an Application, Form PTO-A820, and copies of five (5) references. This information disclosure statement is being filed in accordance with 37 CFR 1.97(c), as it is being filed before the mailing date of either a Final Office Action or a Notice of Allowance. Accordingly, the applicant submits herewith a check in the amount of \$180.00, the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(p) for filing an information disclosure statement under 37 CFR 1.97(c).

If for any reason this RESPONSE is found to be INCOMPLETE, or if at any time it appears that a TELEPHONE CONFERENCE with counsel would help advance prosecution, please telephone the undersigned, or his associates, collect in Waltham, Massachusetts, at (781) 890-5678.

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If any payment during prosecution is found to be incorrect, please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to my Deposit Account No. 09-0002. A copy of this letter is enclosed for use by the Finance Branch in the event that it is necessary to make any charge or credit to my deposit account.

In addition, pursuant to Rule 1.136(a)(3), the Office is hereby authorized to treat any future reply requiring an extension of time as incorporating a request therefor. Also, any request or Petition for an Extension of Time notwithstanding an inadvertent reference in the Petition to a shorter period of time is to be treated as requesting the appropriate length of time.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of the foregoing by returning the enclosed self-addressed postcard.

Jason D. Shanske

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage via first class mail in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on January 3, 2005.

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